Office of the District of Columbia Auditor

FY 2002 Proposed Operating Budget: FY 2002 Proposed Capital Budget:

\$1,298,826 \$0

The Office of the District of Columbia Auditor conducts thorough audits of the accounts and operations of the District government, with the goal of promoting economy, efficiency, and accountability.

Budget Summary

The FY 2002 proposed operating budget for the Office of the District of Columbia Auditor (ODCA) is \$1,298,826, an increase of \$16,136, or 1.3 percent, over the FY 2001 approved budget (table AC0-1). ODCA receives 100 percent of its funding from local sources. There are 14 full-time equivalent (FTE) positions supported by this budget (table AC0-2).

Strategic Issue

In FY 2002, the ODCA seeks to enhance the efficiency and effectiveness of government operations.

FY 2002 Initiatives

In FY 2002, the ODCA will assume five new statutory audit requirements, which include:

- The Mental Health Services Client Enterprise Establishment Act of 1998.
- The Equity in Contracting Amendment Act of 2000.
- The Telephone Fraud Amendment Act of 2000
- The Government Managers Accountability Act.

 The University of the District of Columbia Endowment Fund.

Agency Background

The Office of the District of Columbia Auditor was established by the District of Columbia Home Rule Act (PL 93-198, Section 455, D.C. Code 47-117). It is charged with conducting thorough audits of the accounts and operations of the District government. The ODCA assists the District Council in performing its legislative oversight responsibilities. ODCA also provides financial oversight of the District's 37 Advisory Neighborhood Commissions.

Programs

The ODCA carries out its mission by conducting the following (figure AC0-1):

Performance, Compliance, and Financial

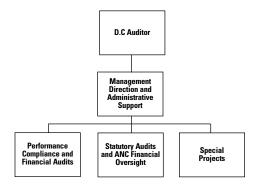
Audits of the accounts, operations, and programs of the District government and certifies revenue estimates in support of municipal bond issues.

Financial Oversight of the financial activities of the District government's 37 Advisory Neighborhood Commissions (ANCs) and adminis-

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Figure AC0-1

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ters the ANC Security Fund, as required by the Advisory Neighborhood Commissions Act of 1975.

Performs audits of special programs, funds, and organizational entities.

Funding Summary

The ODCA receives 100 percent of its funding from local sources. The change in budget from FY 2001 is due to an increase of \$54,714 in personal services to align the Auditor's personal services budget with current authorized staffing levels, and support the transfer of two supervisory Career Services positions and the Deputy Auditor position to the Management Supervisory Service.

Nonpersonal services were decreased by \$38,578. This reflects a decrease of \$31,301 in equipment; a net increase of \$8,205 in utilities and rent, which includes a decrease to management reform savings; a decrease of \$12,982 in other services and charges; and a decrease of \$2,500 in contractual services. Refer to the FY 2002 Operating Appendices (bound separately) for details.

Trend Data

Table AC0-3 and figure AC0-2 show expenditure and employment histories for FY 1998–FY 2002.

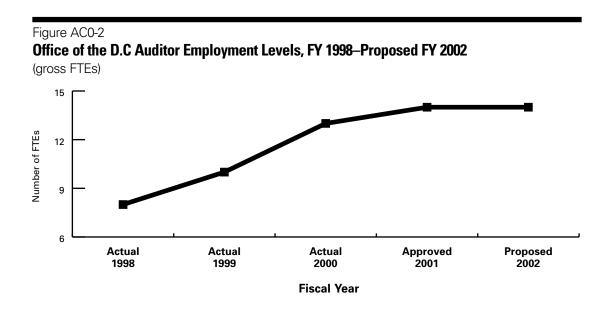


Table AC0-1

FY 2002 Proposed Operating Budget, by Comptroller Source Group

(dollars in thousands)

Office of the D.C. Auditor

| | Actual FY 2000 | Approved FY 2001 | Proposed FY 2002 | Change from FY 2001 |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| Regular Pay - Cont. Full Time | 676 | 708 | 894 | 185 |
| Regular Pay - Other | 0 | 146 | 0 | -146 |
| Additional Gross Pay | 37 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fringe Benefits | 92 | 120 | 135 | 15 |
| Subtotal Personal Services (PS) | 805 | 975 | 1,029 | 55 |
| Supplies and Materials | 8 | 10 | 10 | 0 |
| Utilities | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Communications | 10 | 14 | 11 | -3 |
| Rentals - Land and Structures | 142 | 153 | 164 | 11 |
| Janitorial Services | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| Other Services and Charges | 37 | 59 | 43 | -16 |
| Contractual Services | 19 | 25 | 23 | -3 |
| Equipment and Equipment Rental | 27 | 47 | 16 | -31 |
| Subtotal Nonpersonal Services (NPS) | 244 | 308 | 270 | (39) |
| Total Proposed Operating Budget | 1,049 | 1,283 | 1,299 | (16) |

Table AC0-2

FY 2002 Full-Time Equivalent Employment Levels

Office of the D.C. Auditor

| | Actual FY 2000 | Approved FY 2001 | Proposed FY 2002 | Change from FY 2001 |
|----------------------|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| Continuing full-time | 11 | 14 | 14 | 0 |
| Term full time | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total FTEs | 13 | 14 | 14 | 0 |

Table ACO-3

FY 2002 ACO Proposed Operating Budget, by Revenue Type

(dollars in thousands)

Office of the D.C. Auditor

| Office of the B.o. Addition | Actual FY 1998 | Actual FY 1999 | Actual FY 2000 | Approved FY 2001 | Proposed FY 2002 |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Local | 808 | 843 | 1,049 | 1,283 | 1,299 |
| Gross Funds | 808 | 843 | 1,049 | 1,283 | 1,299 |

Agency Goals and Performance Measures

Goal 1. Promote economy, accountability, and efficiency within the D.C. government.

City-wide Strategic Priority Area: Making government work

Manager: Thomas Brown, Deputy D.C. Auditor Supervisor: Deborah K. Nichols, D.C. Auditor

Performance Measure 1.1: Amount of savings or increased revenue identified by agency (millions of \$)

| | Fiscal Year | | | | |
|--------|-------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| Target | 10.0 | 10.0 | 10.0 | 10.0 | 10.0 |
| Actual | 26.0 | 19.2 | _ | - | - |

Performance Measure 1.2: Number of mandatory statutory audits conducted

| | Fiscal Year | | | | |
|--------|-------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| Target | 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 |
| Actual | 9 | 9 | _ | - | - |

Performance Measure 1.3: Number of performance, financial, and compliance audits completed

| | Fiscal Year | | | | |
|--------|-------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| Target | 9 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 |
| Actual | 9 | 12 | - | - | - |

Performance Measure 1.4: Number of Advisory Neighborhood Commissions that receive financial oversight and ministerial duties from agency

| | Fiscal Year | | | | |
|--------|-------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| Target | 37 | 37 | 37 | 37 | 37 |
| Actual | 37 | 37 | - | - | - |